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Request in 2019.226.E.pdf; DESC 8.4.2020 Request.pdf; Order 8.12.2020.pdf **Attachments:**

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Re: • Docket 2019-226-E (DESC's IRP)

• Request for Extension

Ms. Wessinger-Hill:

The undersigned represents the South Carolina Solar Business Alliance, Inc., ("SCSBA"), in the above-referenced Docket. Please reference Dominion Energy South Carolina, Incorporated's ("DESC"), email to you, dated August 4, 2020. Also please reference your Directive Order of August 12, 2020, Order 2020-73-H, (both the Request and Order are attached hereto, for your ready-reference).

Our client is in receipt of DESC's Rebuttal Testimony and Exhibits on August 28, 2020. DESC witness Bell's Rebuttal Testimony attaches as an exhibit (EHB-3) a Supplemental IRP that reflects numerous changes to its modeling made in response to the suggestions of ORS, as well as one change requested by SCSBA. As indicated by DESC witness Neely, DESC also increased the number of scenarios it modeled, from 64 in the original IRP to 144 in the supplemental IRP. As a result, in preparing its Surrebuttal testimony SCSBA must review more than twice as much modeling information and data as it had to review in preparing its initial testimony. Given the large volume of information it must now review and analyze, SCSBA requires additional time to respond.

Accordingly, SCSBA hereby requests a two-week extension from the present due date of September 18, 2020, for SCSBA's Surrebuttal Testimony/Exhibits, until and including October 2, 2020. You will recall that SCSBA consented to a two-week extension of time for DESC to file its Rebuttal Testimony/Exhibits and we believe that a concomitant extension for SCSBA, is appropriate. In your Directive Order referenced hereinabove, you referenced "conditions"

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between DESC and SCSBA, in an email attached to DESC's request to you, also referenced hereinabove. The pertinent "condition", read as follows, "DESC will agree to any reasonable further extension requested by SCSBA or other parties in order to allow the parties reasonable time to review DESC's updated analysis prior to filing surrebuttal testimony." Therefore, SCSBA's request for an extension of time is both reasonable and appropriate.

Please advise if you require any additional information concerning this request, which is,

Respectfully Submitted,

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Subject: Docket No. 2019-226-E, DESC's 2020 IRP: Request for Extension to File Rebuttal and Surrebuttal Testimony

Dear Ms. Wessinger-Hill:

Attached please find a request for an extension of deadlines for filing reputtal and surrebuttal testimony in this docket and an email setting out the conditions on which the Southern Environmental Law Center, the Coastal Conservation League, Johnson Development Associates, Inc. and the South Carolina Solar Business Alliance have been willing to consent to this request. The ORS has also consented to this request.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this matter. Please let us know what assistance the parties can provide in determining a new date for the hearing on the merits in this matter.

Sincerely,

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DOCKET DESCRIPTION:

South Carolina Energy Freedom Act (House Bill 3659/2019 Act 62) Proceeding Related to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-37-40 and Integrated Resource Plans for Dominion Energy South Carolina, Incorporated

MATTER UNDER CONSIDERATION:

DESC's request for a two-week extension of pre-filing dates for Rebuttal and Surrebuttal Testimony.

STANDING HEARING OFFICER ACTION:

Counsel for Dominion Energy South Carolina, Incorporated (DESC) has requested a two-week extension of the established pre-filing deadlines for Rebuttal and Surrebuttal testimonies and exhibits in this rehearing matter. This request has the consent of the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff, the Southern Environmental Law Center, the Coastal Conservation League, and Johnson Development Associates, Inc. The South Carolina Solar Business Alliance (SCSBA) consents to the request with the conditions between DESC and SCSBA regarding discovery, production and analysis contained in the SCSBA email attached to DESC's Request. No other parties responded after all were notified of the request.

Under the proposed scenario, Rebuttal testimony and exhibits would be due on August 28, 2020, and the new deadline for Surrebuttal testimony and exhibits would be September 18, 2020 under the proposal. DESC needs this extension to comply with the requests of ORS and other parties that DESC revise and refile its IRP analyses to address additional scenarios, adjust certain assumptions, and correct certain transcription and formula errors identified during discovery. The revised analyses are being prepared by DESC; yet, DESC maintains that this requires the modeling of approximately 140 individual planning scenarios hour by hour over a forty-year planning horizon and other work to calculate levelized capital costs and to validate and present the results. DESC states that completing these tasks will require an additional two weeks.

The Standing Hearing Officer finds, due to near-unanimous consent and for good cause, that the new deadline for pre-filing Rebuttal testimony and exhibits will be August 28, 2020, and the new deadline for pre-filing Surrebuttal testimony and exhibits will be September 18, 2020. In short, the request is granted.

The amended dates to the existing procedural schedule are as follows:

August 28, 2020 Company (DESC) rebuttal testimony September 18, 2020 Other parties' surrebuttal testimony

The Clerk's Office is asked to set and post this amended schedule.

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